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& O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong,
Hongkong, 30th September 1846.

Hongkong, 30th September 1846.

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A Suite of Rooms in a very desirable situation, baving a water frontage, on moderate terms.

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dry gadowns and convenient mercantile Offices
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Thomas Braind and Mr Francis Charles
Drumkond, in our Establishment ceased on the
Soft ultimo, and Mr Arounald Campalle, Mr
Charles Joseph Brains, and Mr Edward Per
Reira are this day admitted Partners in our Fring.
DENT & Co.

DENT & Co.
Victoria, Hongkong, 1st July 1846.

NOTICE.

THE undersigned have been appointed Agents at
Shunghai for the Imperial Fire Office of

BLENKIN, RAWSON & Co.

Victoria, 224 April 4846.

To the Godowns of Mesers Elenkin, Rawson & Co sperior Sherry, Madeira, and Port, in wood and bottle; Champagne from the house of Mumm & Co Rheims.

Hongkong, 1st June 1846.

NOTICE.
THE undersigned have received authority from the Directors of the Imperial Fire Insurance Office of London, to issue Policies on the New Puildings at Canton.

MACVICAR & Co. Victoria, 23rd January, 1846

MR. ALEXANDER McCullock and Mr Duncan James Kay have been admitted Partners in our Firm.

Hongkong, 20th October 1846.

FOR SALE.

WEBSTER, Gordon, Cossart & Co's, superior
Madeira, in Habs, quarter and half quarter
casks, and in cases. FLETCHER & Co.
Hougkong, 1st March, 1845. MR. Rooen Jacson is this day admitted a Partner in our Firm

ner in our Firm.
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Hongkong, lat August 1846.

THE foollowing Wines ex C. ex Cannata

in Cases of 3 dozen each. Claret, Sparkling Champaign, Hermitage, Pale Cognac Brandy, Scheidam Geneva,

in do. do. in do. of l dozen.

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Victoria, 1st September 1846.

FOR SALE.

BLANDY'S Maderra, in helf pipes, hhds,, and quarter casks. Apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Victora, 10th April 1846.

FOR SALE.

SHEATHING COPPER, 16 to 32 oz. Apply to,

SHEATHING COPPER, 16 to 32 oz. Apply to, GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, 15th September 1846.

NOTICE.

MR. CHARRES RYDER is this day a dmitted a partmer in our Firm.
DIROM, GRAY & Co. Canton, 1st August 1846.

INDIA AND CHINA MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE Understanded Company, and are prepared to great Pointes payable in London, Calquits, and Caston.

This Office returns a Bonus of 10 partmers, Canton, 1st October 1846.

Canton, Ist October 1846.

NOTICE:
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MR. Fands name Brass is amborised to sign for our firm in Office, by Peneuration.
HEGAN & Ca.
Histogicong, 39th October 1846.

FOR SALE.

AT the Godowns of the undersigned, in One Doz.

Cases —

Copes.

B. Vieux.
S. Farbon.
Chateax. Margus.
Chammern.

Chargegne.

Champagne.

Mail landed from the French ship Adhemar.

HEGAN & Co.

CHEATHING COPPER, for Sale, apply at the

Godowns of,
W. & T. GEMMELL & Co. Victoria, 23rd October 1846 NOTICE.

NOTICE.
THE undersigned have opened a Branch Establishment at Shanghai under the same firm as at Canton.

Ganion. RATHBONES, WORTHINGTON & Co.

Canton, 1st August 1846.

ORIENTAL INSURANCE SOCIETY THE undersigned have been appointed agents for the above named Society and are prepared to grant Policies payable in Liverpool, Bombay, Cal-

uta and Cauton. \_ RATHBONES, WORTHINGTON & Co.

Canton, 31st August 1846.

BANCA TIN,

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OLYPHANT & Co,

Canton.

September 29, 1846 NOTICE

MR. JOSEPH L. ROBERTS is a partner in R. JOSEFT AUGUSTINE, HEARD & Co.
Canton, 20th March, 1846.
FOR SALE.
Possion Cordage, Paint, Pai

Canton, 20th March, 1846.

FOR SALE.

INVOICES of:—Russian Condage, Paint, Paint Dil, Canvass, Blocks, Bunting, Twine, and su perior Hamburg Mess Pork and Beef.

Wine, Brandy, Gin and Vineyar.

Win. PUSTAU & Co. Hungkong, September 1846.

Olfann Cables of all sizes up to 1 inch and 7,81th.

Olfanchors, very superior Canvass, Blocks, large Browse Rope, Paisa 161, Black Varnish, by whole sale.

FRANKLYN & MILNE, Queen's Road,

GOGNAC in Battles at 86 per Dozen at Messrs FRANKLYN & MILNE's.

Hongkong, 22nd October 1846.

DALE Burton Ale in Hogsheads @ \$20.

PALE Burton Ale in Hogsheads @ \$20.
Do: do. in bottle 3.
Pale Cognac Brandy on Cask and bottle.
Fine full flavored Pert. Very Pale Sherry. Pale do.

Brown Brown do. Red wine in Cask. Champagne and Claret, at very low prices. Champagne and still Moselle. Liquers &c. Apply FRANKLYN & MILNE, Queen's Road.

Queen's Road.

FOR SALE,

A ND received per late arrivals by the under signed several Invoices consisting of as follows:—Saddlery, Ladies and Geats Riting Whips, Do. do. White Cotton Hose, Hats and Caps, Boos and Shoes, Gloves, Brushes, Cutlery, Candles, Cooking utensits, Oilman's Stores, Allsopp's Beer, Dark—and Cherry Brandy, Champagae, Hock, Sherry, Port, Madeira and Cherry Cordial. Like-Sherry, Port, Madeira and Cherry Cordial. Derk- and Cherry Brandy, Champagne, Hock, Sherry, Port, Madeira and Cherry Cordial. Like wise a quantity of Bengel Rice and Gram.

BOWRA, HUMPHREYS & Co. Victoria, 14th September 1848.

HONGKONG DISPENSARY.

GODA WATER, ERRATED LEMONADE, Acitated Chalybeate Water, (highly recombended, on account of its tonic properties).

ACHOOK, Comprador. No. 3 Imperial Hong, Hongkong, 18th March, 1846.

FOR SALE.

GODA WATER AND ERATED LEMOND. ADE of superior quality at Mesers HUNTER & BARTONS Dispensary, Politinger Street, VICTORIA, HOKONONG.

CHNYON, AD P. KENNY'S Dispensary, No. 5, New French Hong.

MACOG, at HINNAR'S, Chinese Shopkeeper, Rua Augustine.

ERATED LEMONADE,

SODA WATER.

(From the New Mannafactory et Macac.)

N application may be hed at F. A. SEABRA's

of Mr. 1011N SMITH.

Tanga: — Lemonatic, per dozan, one dolly a and at

quartor, and Sould Water, nor dollar—bottles to be
returned; — with fourier is per dozan.

ST Operate for ten dozans, or above: Soda
Water Sovanty for come, and Lemonate, one dollar

per dozans.

Macac, at October 1846.

Micros, 1st Uctober 1940.

FOR SALIS.

Judining Gray Policy. Apply to,
Mr. G. DEWAR.

War G. DEWAR.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

MESSIEURS RICHARD COLEY and WILLIAM GASKELL Attorneys of Her Majestys Court of Queen's Bench at Westa Paster in England and Solicitors of the High Court of Characery have been duly admitted to practise as Muoneys, Solicitors and Proctors of the Supreme Court of Hongkong, and have this day entered from Court of Hongkong, and have this day entered from Copartnership.

Courtnership.

Offices at the house lately occupied by Messry
HUMPHREYS & Co., Queen's Roed,
Victoria, 12th October 1846.

Victoria, 12th October 1846.

AND for Sale by the undersigned.—

A Superfine many Blue Choft; Blue and Black Cashmeratue; Figured Silk Waistenst-pieces, Richly Cut Velvet do.; Tartans and Tweeds, for shooting Coats and Trowers; Blue Cloth Caps; Navy Gold Lace and Buttons; superior English made Shirts with linen fronts, collars and wristhands; Silk Socks and Stocking; white and colored Silk and Cotton Gloves; Old Brown Windser Sosps; Razors and Razor Strops: Shaning, Tooth, Nail, and Hair Brushes; Shaving Glasses in Gilt Frames from 9 to 18 Inches square; and Dressing Combs.

An Invoice of French Confectionery, consisting of Bonbons à Cornes; Bonbons Cosaques; Candia sasortis; Anis Fins; Anis Roses Perles; and Pralines Fines and Ordinaire.

F. FUNCK. Victoria, 9th October 1846.

FUNCK has just received and invites attention to an invoice of Articles for Ladies use, com-

I. to an invoice of Articles for Ladies use, comprising:

Drawn Silk Bonnets, of the latest Parisina style;
Plain and richly embroided ref French Silk Stockings; White and Colored Silk Gloves; Combs of
various descriptions, viz. Shell and Buffulo side
Combs of numerous patterns; Braid and Curling
do.; Dressing and Victoria do.; Single and Double
tlandled do.; and small Tooth Combs; Hair
Brushes of different degrees of Hardness; also, a
few of the softest description for Infants use.
Victoria, Stin Ontober 1846.

SUPERIOR PENKNIFES,

manufactured by JOSEPH RUDGERS & SONS. JOSEPH RUDGERS & SONS,
CITALES TO BEE MAIST. AND THE ROTAL PAINLY.
No. 6 Norfalk Street, Sheffield.
A Small invoice of the above superior Collery
A just received, and can be strongly recommenddef or the use of Offices.
Victoria, Sth July 1846.

BOOTS & SHOES. BOOTS & SHOES.
THE undersigned has just opened another case of
Stunis Boots and Shoes, and is ready to dispose of them as heretofare. F. FUNCK.
Victoria, 15th August 1846.
TO COMMANDERS &c.

THE undersigned begs to solicit the attention of Commanders of ships and the public to his extensive assortment of stores, replenished every month by direct importations to his own indent,

tensive assortiment to the own mount by direct importations to his own mount, consisting of—
Europe, Manila and Coir Cordage of all sizes;
Spunyara, Worming, Marline, Hombro lines, Lead lines, Oakum etc. Best nary Cenruss, Scotch twine, and Datch bennting. Tar, Fitch, Rosins, Paints, Paint oil, Turpentine, Varciat etc. etc. Blocka, Hanks, Mast hoops, and Nails of every kind. Palms, Sail needler etc.

Bread, Flour, and Salt provisions.
Oilman's Stores of every description.
Brandy, Gin, Rum and Whisky.
Sherry, Port, Madeirs, Champegne, Hock and various other light wines.
I Jodia and London Bottled Beer, Barnlays' Porter etc. etc.
CHARLES BUCKTON,
Queen's Road, Hongkong,
and Whampor Reach.

FOR SALE.

(IOVERNMENT Marila No. 3 Cigars, on board
U of the Spanish Bark Volks. Apply to the
Captain J. Salano, at Mr. C. Durrie, Queen's
Road, corner of Grabam Street.
Victoria, 7th September 1848.

RAFFLE! FOUR PRIZES!

£50 ron £1.

A Capital Piano by Mott and three Music Books
bers \$5 each. The second, third, and fourth best,
will have each a Music Book, containing Popular

Forms for

mg &c.
The list for Subscribers is at,
WELOH & STOCKER's,
Ghemists & Druggists.

Queen's Road, ong, 28th October 1846.

BRITISH HOTEL,
KRITISH HOTEL,
KRITISHOUSE,
Queen's Road, Victorie,
AHCHAEL GABRIEL.
(ENTLEMEN and Families sisting his plant of the first description at sociorate and all all lards in a specious airy room feeing the

To the Editor of the Friend of China.

Canton 2nd November, 1816

Canton, 2nd November, 1848.

Size.—When Men is high stations deliberately counsel injustice, sense, if not decency, usually induces their resummer to the control of the co

Bation.

The truth bowever cannot be always suppressed, nor shall His Excellency's misrepresentations escape the reducts they meri.

His Excellency commences by instructing Mr Macgregot to inform Mr. Compton that the Ordinance under which he (Sir John) had directed Mr. Macgregot to fine Mr. Compton was not Ordinance No. 2, but Ordinance No. 5 of 1844.

It is worthy of remark that though Mr Macgrego he meaning of remark that though Mr Macgregor does not contradict his assertion of the Excellency's he does not do what Sir John Davis desires him to do he metely sends without comment a Copy of the diseasch.

he metely sends without comment a copy of the dispatch.

The ficial stand thus, on the 24th September, Mr Macgregor fined Mr. Compton Two Hundred Dollars under Ordinance No. 2; at the same time staing that, he should not proceed to levy the fine til the sentence was confirmed by Sir John Davis Ou the 6th October, Mr Macgregor wrote to say be had received His Excellency's confirmation of the sentence, withich however Sir John Davis asys was not transmitted to him till the 16th of the same month, or 10 days after Mr Macgregor says he received a confirmation of R. simple matter of fict. Both, cannot be true. One or other then, Mr Macgregor, or Sir John Davis, says "the thing which is not." It is a delicate point to decide: but for my part I believe Mr Macgregor.

says "the thing which's his. As a decision of the point to decide, but for my part I believe Mr Macgregor.

Belliering Mr Macgregor, then we must conclude that Ordinance No. 5 was never thought of till arry devanced period of the proceedings, when it was suddenly discovered that and blunders had been committed. All the proceedings had been under an obsolete Ordinance, and none of the forms enjoined by the Law actually in force, (made by those troublesome Crown Lawyerls) had been observed. But what of that I is any one holding the high powers of Sir John Davis to be restrained by Laws!

Perish the thought. The big soul of a Plenipetenistry revolts against it. There has been a great bonglessneer mind -Mr Compton has been tried for one offence, and sentenced the another, and he did not know he was being tried, and two will not tell him what evidence was brought against him. Fine him. Eine him Keying requires it. The Merchans will not bleed. There is no hush money to be got out of them. They will not be perseased to admit by a west concession, right to be wrong, nor acknowledge self-defence to be outpuble —but here is a Man we can victimize,—and here is an Ordinance. Never mind the meaning of words. Set Grammarians and Lexicographers at defance. Fine him. Here is my seal, and that shall be your warrant.

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Fine him. Fine him. Here is my seal, and that shall be your warrant.

Having sufficiently discussed His Excellency's Ordinances and his application of them, lat us listen to his narradive. Sit John proceeds to say that Mr Compton having a cause of complaint against a clinices was bound to proceed in the Consolute and state his grievance, but "instead of doing this his violence excited the frightful unruhand bloodshedin which three Chinese were killed."

Really Sit John, for a celebrated Author, you write sery badly. The other day you pointed out the terrible consequences of homicide by five arms, as if that were worse than homicide of any other left, and now you write both three Chinese being killed—in bloodshed. I have however too serious harless to bring against you to dwell upon your style—I say, that in the short sentence quoted, three is an assettion directly opposed to the feet, and a studied perversion of truth. First, Mr Compton did it is a studied perversion of the truth to state the circumstances at you do vated home. Mr Compton so complaint. No riot followed; and on the 5th, and on the 5th,

"Outd great men thunder at Jore himself dees "Jove would neer be quies."
"Yow would neer be quies."
"I nees and you'd neer be quies."
"I nees and you'd neer be quies."
"I nees and you'd need to get the great for thunder."
You are very fond of thunder Sit John, but why waste your holds! "Were your high powers to be exerted on so great an oeasion, and a-pairly fins offly to be the result?" The God' appears to vier? little purpose. The supernating in mechanicy has dogs not more than under the ordinary Forms of Law might have been done-But, in Luw, accusation and one viction are not quite the same thing. Auf might have been done-But, in Luw, accusation and one viction are not quite the same thing. Auf might have been for the Complair Court might have been trovised, an excessive penalty might have been mitigated. So, abst all perhaps the God wits necessary, and contemptible as is the figure he makes, left him slink away with the balance of his thunder.
His Excellency proceeds to state that the Fine on Mr. Compton was deliborately lexical after the fullest might have the most that the fine on the contemptible may be a fine the file that the file of evidence. The mere fact of the Frutt stall having been upset resting, merely on Mr. Compton's own admission, which ought not to have been used against him; the other charges as originally mide on the form the forward.—

"of having beaten the Military Ollicer Kerl" having been aban loved, and the Consul having declared to furnish Mr Compton with copies of what other said cance had been brought forward.— Pare Sir John Davis call this a full investigation. And supposing for a moment that Mr Compose knocking over the fruit stall on the 4th July did lead

And supposing for a moment that it is compared to the rist of the Sih, is there a shadow of justice in attaching to trifling offences their remote consequences; those consequences too proceeding from the outragous violence of the Chinese people. If Mr Compton confinited an offence on the 4th July to ought to have been pure sheld at one for it. The consequences cannot be accumulated upon him, or where is such a course to end? Sir John Davis says the peaceful relations of the two Countries are still endungered by this set; for any fresh events groung out of it. Wr Compton their may still be held responsible. It is an insult to men's understandings to state such things.

His Excellency's aversion to Law, and his notices of Justice being sufficiently manifest, it is not surprising that we find him favoring the Chimannity with an extract from one of his unpublished works, in which he very naturally recurs to one of the most

an extract from one of his unpublished works, in which he rery naturally results to one of the most despotic Countries in Burope for no illustration of his system. It is not very cleir what Turkely has to do with the matter. Early recollections may make it a fivorite subject, or it may be a pet countrie with this Excellency. I am not so foul of His Excellency's works as His Excellency himself appears to be, but I must quoteentire the concluding paragraph of his Letter:—

If the recovery of Firty six thousand dollars of private compensation from the Chinese Government.

at a mother Port, proves that Have protected the

at another Port, proves that There protected the rights of British Subjects, it is only just that I should be equally firm in enforcing their obligations. On no other terms can we maintain a

"should be equally firm in euforeing their obliques, who was the equally firm in euforeing their obliques, thous. On no other terms can we maintain a beneficial intercourse with hum, and on no other terms can I un beruke to administer my trust."

Rare Andsarty! I did not before think you a brave man Sir John. Lurking pander an official shield, to shaller private Charac i, is a you thus compared to the property of the standard of the property valued, since you are paid £6,000 a year for the but I do not think Ministers will think it pecessi out to only think ministers will think it occessing to enhance that price by this sacrifice of their Country's Laws, and their fillow subjects Liberties Shoull three be a difference of opinion upon this point between yourself and Lird Palmerston, the consequences apparently may be very serious. You actually threaten to resign—oh no Sir John you will not do the reference to the contract of the co will not do that, so long as you can save your Salary

### Notice to Correspondent's

An Englishman's communication is too late for this issue, but it will not lose any of its pith by being kept until Saturday.

NOTICE.

New advertisements, will be received, until A O'Clock, on the evenings previous to publication, viz: Tuesdays and Pridays.

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3	LAT	EST	DATES.	, n.n
England	Aug.	24	Sydney	Ang. 1
United States	July	15.	Bitavia	Spet. 30
Calcutta	Sept.	7	Singaporei	Oct. 7
Bombay	Sept.	12	Manila	Oct 24
Madras	Sept	15.	Shangbai	Oct. 13
C. of G. Hope	June	19	Amoy	Oct. 15

## THE FRIEND OF CHINA

AND HONGKONG GAZETTE.

VICTORIA, WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 487, 1816

NOTICE—Union Charge will be open for Public Worling at 11 O'clock As M., and at the past 6 O'clock P. M. wings the winter months, beginning with the 1st November 1996. during the winter the ber 1846.

Victoria, 19th October 18,6.

It is with pain that we record another piece of barbarous injustice committed by the Clugh Magnitate, which involves in our opinion a charge of a very grave patter, and indicate to enquire, how long is ignorance and enoisy to be tolerated on the bench of Horacon. to be tolerated on the pa We have no wish to crange encourage that sockly sympa of fastists, which a Contem

heritate to expose injustice and cruelty. The case to which we refer may be given in a fe

ords. On the 27th of October a China boat got On the 27th of October a China boat got under way a little before sunset on her passage to the south of this island. She had on board of a crew and passengers in all eighteen Souls some of the passengers in all eighteen Souls some of the passengers in all eighteen Souls some of the passengers in all eighteen Souls eight of the passenger that been employed for a considerable fine. In passing the native shipping which usually congregates off the lower bazaar, the passenger hoat got foul of another boat at anchor, but without olong any dumage. After some altereation between the boatmen, some of the grew of the Junk at anchor got into their sampan armed with two muskets, and gave chase, firing one or more shot. Unfortunately, as it happened, a boat with a policenam on band who was in search of a vagabond who had absconded after robbing his master of \$250. had absended after robbing his master of \$250 had absconded after robbing his missier of season, was not fith distant, and seeing the sumpan in pursuit, joined in the chase, under the impression that a robbery had been committed, or that they were about to capture the thief they were in search of. The poor creatures who were thus being hunted down, found that the cape was hopeless, and in desperation they leaped over hoard and were captured, with the exception of five, who were drowned. This

leaged twee board and were captured, with the exception of five, who were drowned. This is the first act of the drains.

The second act opens with the appearance of the captives before Mr Hillier, arrangued on a charge of piracy. That acute young tientleman found them guilty, sentenced them to be flegged, and impris ned for three months, with the exception of four, who after being flogged were presented to the Cowloon Mandarin—a sort of complimentary exchange of civilities between the Representatives of two civilized powers!

The third act brings the catastrophe. The The third act brings the catastrophe. The bodies of the drowned men being recovered, the Coroner summons a Jury, and holds an inquest. The Jury after a patient investigation, which occupied the greater part of three days, returned a verdict of manslaughter against the parties who forced the men to take the water. An English Jury have thus declared that the whole of the men were innocent, but in the meantime they were sourced, invoiced and imprisoned, by sentence of a person who holds the responsible office of Clair Magistrate of this colony !!

colony !!
We merely introduce this fresh atrocity, but after a careful perusal of the orderine, we may find it necessary to extend our remarks; from personal attendance at the inquest, we are in possession of the entire proceedings before the Coroner and Jury, which we will publish in our next issue, as this is one of the most extraordinary cases on record.

#### THE OREGON QUESTION.

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The following is the text of the treaty between he Majesty and the Chinds States of America, for the seutlement of the Oregon boundary, signed at Washington, June 18th, 1848 :—

"Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Bristian and Ireland, and the United States of America, deeming it to be desirable for the future welfare of both contries that the state of dombrand uncertainty which has hitherto prevailed respecting the severeignty and government of the terratory on the north-west coast of America, Ising westward of the Rocky or Stony Municians should be finally terminated by an amicable compromise of the rights mutually asserted by the two parties over the said territory, have respectively named plenipotentiaries to treat and agree condering the terms of such settlement, that is to say:

"The Majesty the Oregon Schaffingta Kingdom."

to treat and agree concerning the terms of such settlement. Italia to say:

"Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland has, on her par, appointed the Right Hon Richard Pakenham, a memor of her Majesty's Box Telbournable Friy Coupcil, and her Majesty's Box Telbournable Assess; and the President of the United States of America has, on his part, funished with full powers, Starses Buchanan, Secretary of State of the United States, who after having compoundated to each whose their who after having compoundated to each whose their whose their whose their states of the States. chanan, Secretary of State of the Concession, who after having communicated to each other their respective full powers, found in good and due form, have agreed upon and concluded the following ar-

ticles:—

"Art." I. From the point on the forty-minh parallel of north hittude, where the houndary laid dwnn in existing treaties and conventions between Great Britain and the United States tempinases, the line of boundary, between the territories of her Britainand Shiest and those of the United States shall be continued westward along the said forty-minth parallel of north hittude, to the middle of the channel, which apparates the continent. Trom Vancouver's Island; and thence southerly, through the middle of the said channel, and of Forca's Straits, to the Pacific Ocean, provided, however, that the unrigation of the whole of the said channel and straits, south of the forty-minth parallel of north hittides from free and open to both parties.

"Art II. From the point at which the forty-minth parallel of north hittides while Found to intersect the great northern branch of the Columbia tiret, the manigation of the said branch shall be free and open to the Hadson & Bay, Company, and to get the said that the said cles :--"Art. I. From the point on the forty ninth par-

be construed as prevent the Government of the

the possessory rights of the Hudson's Bay Company, and of all Brilish subjects, who may be atready u the occupation of land or other property lawfully acquired within the said territory, shall be res-perted.

ted Art IV: The farms, lands, and other properly of every description, belonging to the Poget's Sound Agricultural Company, on the north sade of the Columbia river, shall be confirmed to the said cam-pany. In case, however, the situation of those farms and land considered by the United puny. In case, nowever, the situation of those farms and land-ghould be considered by the United States to be of public and political importance, and the United States Government should signify a desire to obtain possession of the whole or of any part thereof, the property so required shall be transforded to the said Chovernment at a proper valuation, to be agreed upon between the parties.

"Ant V. The present treaty shall be ratified by the Britannia Majesty, and by the President of the United States, by and with the advice and consent of the Sonate thereof; and the advice and consent of the Sonate thereof; and the ratifications shall the gradinged at Landon at the expiration of fax months from the date, hereof, or sooner if possible.

"In winess where of the respective Plenipolentaries have signed the same, and have affixed the seals of their arms.

"Done at Washington, the 15th day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hun fred and forty axx.

PRICHARD PAKENHAM. [LS.]

B AMES BUCHANAN." [LS.]

ARRIVALS

# SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

October,
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PASSENGERS.
Per Torrington., Messrs Sterling, Cannon, and

ilibert.
Per Mermaid, Messis J. Tait, and — Cartwright.
Per Mozeppa, R. M. Moffatt, Esq.
Per India, H. S. Horsburgh, Esq.

SAILED.

39, Prince Albert, Thompson, Whampoa.
31, Baboo, Barker, Cork
31, Cleopatra, Early, Whunpoa.
31, Bonanza, Mussop, Whampoa.

31, Bonanza, Mussop, Wanney, November, 1. Ariel, (Bark) Burt, Cumsingmoon. 1, Travington, Nell Whamp-a. 2, Zephyn, Monn, Enst Yost. 2, Chusan, Leitd, Glasgow. 2, S. Lurman, Yonkling, Whampoa. 3, India, Sutherland, Whampoa. 3, Natchez, (Am) Lend, Whampoa. REPORTS.

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Town; 1ds, from Singapore; 7, W. Acker f.c.z. Shanghai; 7, Hallan, from Shanghai; 7, Helena, from Shanghai; 8, Dardo; (Sp.) from Singapore; 13, Victorieuse; (French) Frigute, from China; 19, Palanam, from Hong; 83, Robin Gtray, from Singapore.

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September 6 Giraffis, for Sydney; 8, Navigator, [Am.] for Hongkong; 8, Ingleborough, for Cork, Q. Tianin, for Philless; 9, Card Chevereux (Freh.] for Bordeaux; 10, Carthage [Am.] for New York; 23, Maid of Julpha, for Singapore; 23, Girss for Amoy. October 8, Minerva, for Clyde; 8, Kensington, [Am.] for New York; 8, Flecha [8p.] for Singapore; 15, Strabe/[Am.] for Soston; 16, Jane, for H. Town; 15, Cheerfial, for Sydney; 18, Mermaid for Hongkong; 20, R. Ajbatt, for London; 21, Helen Au. gusta, [Am.] dor Boston; 23, Sisters, for H. Town.

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Appelline, Thomas,
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Bonarka. Mossop,
Brankes. Mos., Cart,
Bribmart, Selomon,
Bonderer. Wills,
Boa Accord. Buckle,
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Board and Co.
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Lindsay and Co.
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Glide, (Am.) Waterman,
Hebr. (Am.) Porter.
J. Q. Adoms Nickels,
Lark (Am.) Tibbets,
Mostack, (Am.) Michrel,
Nathez, (Am.) Land,
Chaidador. Silver,
Oncida, (Am.) Creesey,
Tonquia. (Am.) Hunt, Nye, Parkin and Co Russell and Co

THE PENINGULAR AND ORIENTAL STRAM NA-THATION COMPANYS OFFICES, have been re-moved to the House lately occupied by Messrs W. Storre & C. Queen's Road Hunghong, 3rd November 1846.

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W. & T. GEMMELL & Co. Victoria, Hongkong, 3rd November 1846.

NOTICE.
THE Gun-room Officers of H. M. S. Vestal will not be responsible for debts contracted by their Steward. H. M. S. "Vestal," 3rd November 1846

MANILA CHEROUTS.

MESSRS. FRANKLYN & MILNE are now landing a very fine batch of No. 3, and have them for sale,

A few Piculs of Gypsum.

Gucen's Road, 3rd November 1846.

| ISSRS. HOLMES & BIGHAM boy respectfully to call the attention of the Ladies of Hongkong, to a Select assertment of Farey-Goods they have just received from England, ex Sandersons, the Check Muslin Dress Pieces.

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Choice Colorel Riblions.
Short Black Mutts.

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ON Saturday the 21st November next, the number of a weekly periodical in the Chlanguage will be published at Canton by the number of the control of the control

language will be published at Canton by the unnersigned, under the title of 景为 士文家:

.e. "Meadow's Commagnat Reporters."

The journal will be devoted chiefly to subjects of a commercial nature, and the undersigned hopes that it will be found a useful medium of communication with the Chinese mercantile community in particular as a vehicle for advertisements and notices.

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mandarins, placards, and any Conton news of interest.

An Agent will be appointed to distribute, these copies, and receive a development.

MEADOW'S COMMENDIAR REPORTER, will be printed on (contra) sheets of the same six as those used for "the Pakin Cazette," and each weekly number, will contain about 15 sheets.

Price to subscribers, per annual two teels; six months one tall two mose; three months seven made; all payable in advance. Single numbers seven candarcens each

If advertisements be sent in Chinese, the charge will be one count per character, and one half cent per character for repetition; if sent in English to translated by the Publisher, four cents per ting. This word, and incharges are pay by the in advance, and advertisements will be repetited unless so ordered, and all charges are pay ble in advance, and all charges are pay ble in advance, and all charges are pay ble in advance, and all charges are pay ble in advanced.

No. 3 Mingqua's New Hong. } Canton, 30th October 1846. }

JUST ARRIVED AND FOR SALE,

DUNBAR & Sons fines Louton bottled Pale Ale,
Do. Porter.
Allsopp's best bottled Pale Ale,
Fine Cheddar Loa Cheese.
CHAS: BUCKTON.
Queen's Road, 3rd November 1849.

FOR SALE OLD Champagne Cognac in dozen cases, Brandy in casks.

Sherry Wine in d zen cases. French Salad Oil

Ladies Paris Boots, of various colours and sizes. Piña Ladies Dresses, scaris una pour kerchiefs, and different other articles.

J. DALMAS. Piña Ladies Dresses, scarfs and pocket Hand-

No. 3. Graham Street

C. MARKWICK,
WILL Sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, To-morrow, Thursday 5th November 1846, at 11
A. M. (on account of whom it may concern) at
Messrs Gray, Livinosron & Co.'s Godowis.—
[13 Bales Grey Shirtings (more or less damaged
by Sea Watel.)

13 bates Grey Shirtings (more of less damaged by Sea Water). Terms of Sale. Cash, before delivery, all Lots to be cleared the same day before 4 o'clock P. M.

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MITH & BRIMELOW will selt by Public Auction on Thursday the 5th Instant, at 1 to o'clock A. u., at their Sale Rooms, Keying House. A choice selection of Bohemian Glassyare; consisting of Decanters, Tumbiers, Wine, Brer and Liquer Glasses of every description colored and plain. Franch Perfumery; Ladies Muff, Boas, and Pelgrines; Ladies and Gentlemeng Boots and Shoes; Teic Gaddies; Ornot Stands, fancy Clocks; Accordens; handsome painted Lamps, Chideren Tuys; soperior putent Leather; Preserved Meats; Sardines in excellent condition.

Fine Havananh Cigars of different qualities.
AT THE SAME FUNE.
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A few Bales of damaged Shirtengs, and a variety other finites writeles.

ther fancy articles.
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NOTICE
DURING the absence of the Proprietor, Mr.
H. F. Enwanns duly addressed to manage
the affinise of this paper.
Office "Friend of China." 5th September, 1845.

From Lordon Merconnies Superinee, 1846.
HONGIKUNG & CANTON.
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Victoria, 6th October 1846,
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Of China, that he is preparent to Adjust Claims
on the Underwiters for See. Dramag, and that any
Communication made to him to the care of Mr
Bruerss, Queen's Itoad, will receive immediate
attention.

REGISTER Iron Grates. Fenders and Fire-Irons. ROBT: RUTHERFURD,

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Victoria, 23rd October 1846.

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AMS; Berkelay and Chedar Choese; Smoked
Wils Bacon; English Ox Tongoes; Leadenhall Market Beef; Paté Le Diable; Anchovy and
Herrings Taste; Jams and Plies; Soups and Fish
of sorts, Robinson's Prepared Groats; Scotch Ostracia; Zarte Currasts; Bloom Raisins; Maccaroni; Vermicelli; Cherry, Strawberry and Raspery Joices; Fresh Olives; Assorted Sauces; Mustard; Pickles; Tart Prâits; White Wine Vinegar;
Cayenne Pepper; Chocolate Powder in Tins &c.
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Paris IIIst; Chunpapue Culer: Butter; American Navy and Pilot Bread; Britannia Metal Goods of every description; Superior Cutlory; Lozanges; Inpears; Binady; Sherry; Port and Madeira Wines; Chetney and Curry Powder; Boota and Shoos; Muray's Wine Blasuits in Tims, Arrowroot; Sarasparilla Mead; Lemon Syrup; and a great variety of other articles, for sale at,

McMURARY & Co.'s.

Victoria, 10th October 1846.

Victoria, 19th October 1846.

Victoria, 19th October 1848.

NOTICE.

E the undersigned have formed a Pertnership
for the transaction of a General Agency,
Auction and Commission business, at Victoria Hongkong, under the Firm of DRINKER & HEYL WM. S. HEYL.

Victoria, March 2nd 1846.

VICTORIA, March 2nd 1840.

JUST RECEIVED Ex "HEBER."

QUPERIOR Hams Butter in small kegs, Cheese,

Tongues in half barrels, Sperm Candles, Fany and Brown Sosp, Dried Apples, No. 1 Mess
Beef and Pork, Europe Rope, White and Blue
Paint, Pump Leather, Oars &c. &c.

Also
A few Boxes of superior Lemon Syzup, and Sarea-parilla mead.

DRINKER & HEYL.
Victoria, 22nd September 1846.

Victoria, 22nd September Levo.

A. BRINE begs to armounce his having comba, mericed at the premises adjoining Messrs Brun, Lawre & Co., the business of a General Commission Agent and Auctioneer. His long experience in England and having been upwards of three years in China encourages him in soliciting Three years in China encourages him it some portion of the business of the port, Hongkong, 1st October 1848.

NOTICE

THE undersigned receives every description of goods from alongside ships, in Lorchas, under the superintendence of an European, and Stores them in dry and secure Godowns at yery moderate

them in dry and secure Godowns at yery moderate charges.

Soals of charges to be seen at his Office adjoining the premises of Messrs Bugo, Lange & Co. All descriptions of Stores, Stationery, &c. &c. at very low rates, a reasonable allowance much on the trade and to paties taking large quadraties.

ROB1: A. BRINE.

General Commission Agent ductioner &c. &c.
Victoria, 22nd Goober 1846.

MMERY, FRASER & Co., inform the Composition of Hongkong, that they have a horeSpork and Francis later distant from the centre of the town, Gentlemen may rely on having their forses faithfully and expeditiously shod,
Opposite the Cambuic )

the town, Gentlemen may rely on having their horses faithfully and expeditiously shod.
Opposite the Catholic Burying Ground,
June 23rd 1846.

FIGURE 1846.

FIGURE 24th September 1846.

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be British empire, and for no little rejoicing among the colonizing and commercial classes at the property of the property of the property of performance by a department of Government. On avery question, consected, with Colonizes and the progress of Colonization, the rivers of Lord Grey, Mr. Buller, and Mr. Hawes, are maured, definite, and so completely in unison as to form one policy. The Combination of various, isleets in the official triunity, as well as their, appropriate idistribution for cooception and command, for exposition and permanent, and for practical efficiency, is most singular. And the opinions of the new Colonial Office are not merely speculative or theoretical; they consist of specific and earnest purposes. What Lord Grey and his assistants may be expected to do, having the power, is just what they have for years been rainly striving to get done by other hands which had the power but not the will. The will and the power are now conjoined; and we may be as aure of what is going to happen with respect to the extention and government of Colonies, as we should have been of the nature of coming changes if the Post-office if Rowland Hill had been put at the head of St. Martin's-le-Grand just before the adoption of his plan. Nay, more sure; for the scheme of a uniform Pennynostage must at all events have met with formidable apposition on the score of revenue; whereas Lord Grey's phase of Colonial reform, being cordially supported, as there is every reason to suppose they will be by Sir James Grahem and Sir Robert Peel, have now only to be proposed in order to be carried into effect, when the score of revenue; whereas Lord Grey's phase of colonial reform, being cordially supported, as there is every reason to suppose they will be by Sir James Grahem and Sir Robert Peel, have now only to be proposed in order to be carried into effect, it is a hopp account of the generally known, but simply because public opinion in this country takes intule head of Colonial questions. Hausard most be searched, by most

## EFFECTS OF THE GOVERNMENT FEEDING

THE RISE.

The failure of this year's posto crop, which is now, we regret to say, critin, threatens to involve the Irish in a much greater calamity than beful them last year. We are extremely desirous that their caming distress should be prevented. Their patience under great privations, merits our warmest sympathy. Notwistandize the dread catalogue of denoce which was raked sugether to make out a case for the coercion bill, never probably were offences against authority fewer amongst a suffering people than they have latterly been amongst the Irish. It must be admitted, therefore, that all which can be reasonably done for them ought to be done, and that no searches of money which could be advantageously made ought to be shunned.

Similar opinious were very generally entertained last, autumo, and in the spring of the present year; the demands to relieve the Irish were general in England as well as in Ireland, and the conduct of the Government, in haskaning to succour them, was almost invariably approved of. Never, perhaps, was there a case where it appeared more feasible to disregard the abstract principles of political economy, and listen early to the dictates of sentimestal benerolence. The people were on the brick of famine, and they wanted employment; for the Government to step in and give them food and work seemed so strictly in accordance with functions usually assigned to a protecting Government, that the fard hearied principles of laisese foire were denounced as the principles of laises foire were denounced as the principles of laises foire were denounced as the principles of laises foire were denounced as the p

From the estimate, we learn that the Relief Commission cost, to the 31st of August, when we presume and hope, according to the announcement to Fatharment, the shours will be terminated 2,500, and warious charges for killedying, earlief, 4,5000, and warious charges for killedying, earlief, 4,5000, and warious charges for killedying, earlief, 6,5000, and warious charges for killedying, earlief, 6,5000, and warious charges for killedying, earlief, 6,6000, and warious charges for killedying, earlief, 6,6000, and warious charges for the control of 11,8000, there has he been an exponent to distribute that subsistence which, in the brilliary course of commerce, would have been distributed without taking any man, and yet giving to many their daily bread. This is independent of the pay of the commissariat officers, and of the ordnance, and military officers employed under the Board of Works, and the expenses of the Admiralty steamers for the courterparties of the respective departments. The cost of food actually purchased uppears to have been, in the United Kingdom, 57,9344, and abroad. 105,2581, making together, 163,2444. A part of this sum has been and will be recovered. The produce of the sales of india corn to July 15th was 70,1711; the further sales to the 15th of August will, it is supposed, yield 60,000t. The total resultis that the Government has disbursed slongther 260,0272, but will get back of that 134,1517, making the whole sum expended, according to the account, 132,000. From adother account, which includes, besides the expenses of the works authorised to be executed by the 9th Vict. cap. 1 and 2, the sum issued as donations, and sums paid for the inspection of works, we leave that the total sum expended, according to the account, 132,000. From adother account, which includes, besides the expense of the works authorised to be executed by the other victions of works, we leave that the total sum expended has the sum at the

ings, no agitat on, nothing to invert the ordinary course of the law and the administration. But if we are not misinformed, the social dordition of the Irish was never to the Government so perplexing and embarrassing as at present. The number of persons demanding relief is innected and increasing; the craving for work and food has grown wonderfully on the small supply of aid granted by the late ministry, and the present ministry must continue the supply on paid of seving, not themselves merely, but the imperial Government, become more than ever an object of aversion and hatred, freland was Six Robert Peel's difficulty, and, as it utterly impossible for the present Ministers to comply with demands for food and employment, resulting from a worse visitation than that of last year, his kindly meant interference has made the social condition of Televand an insuperable difficulty for his successors.

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Dr M'H'tle, in his letter to Lord John Flussell, published on the 7th inst, in the Morning Chronical, says, and me are afraid that the specific this gentiments of the bulk of the Catholic priesthood and of

cle, says, and me are afraid that he specks the sentiments of the bulk of the Catholic priesthood and of
the people:—

"I have read, with surprise, and with somewhat
of diamay, the report of a speech attributed to the
Chanceltor of the Exchequer, announcing the fearful intelligence that the relief which, through the
means of employment on public works, had been
in some instances tardily meted out to the people,
was, from the 15th of August, to be walldrawn,
You might as well at once issue an edict of general
starvation as stop the supplies which the feeble
creatures are striving to earn with the sweat fof
their brows. The scenes of jeslousy and discontrathat are of daily occurrence on account of the real
or fancied preference which some claimants for
employment receive, are evidence of the pressure
of hunger; and never did a multinous crew pan
more eagenly for the partition of a rich bejoty than
the starving imbaliants of Ireland do at present
for the miseable pitance earned on the public
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the staving impulsate of the public roads.

Allow me, then, in the name of a faithful and suffering people, to implore of you not only to strictly the present relief for an entanged scale into the middle of the month of September, but not to rifer the great council of the notion to rise without adopting prospective measures for the similar indiscovery calamity of the coming year. I best testimour, and consequent decay of the roats, but under salks, of which the feet's were still green and sound, the most were diminuity in a size not in a state of rapid decomposition. The fact is then so, and to throw a people, accustomed for some time to meal dies, on postates that are, some rotten and almost unique, would be to aggravate all the critic of famine with the horrors of pestilence.

Thus, too, does Dr M'Hale speak of what has been doos, and what he repects:

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in routh for the ample revenues with which their industry equiches the exchequer. They know they are improvements which an Irish tegislature would not delay. The alferinative, then, to which Dr M. Hinde looks, Ta between granting repeal, and extending indefinitely the system of seeding and employing the Urish. So it is put before the New John they confide. In this case the propriety of the interference on March 21 which we then condemned, we called attention to its collateral offect; and it is not one of the least mischievous of these that Re onables 10sh M Talle, and the catholic priesthood of Irehand, to step forward on such a firm foundation as intercessor for the peeple with the government, and against good principles of government. It strengthens the influence of the epis copacy—a rival power—if the grant be rolined by popular gratitude; and so to Intercedo is a cheap means of becoming a demagogue, and at the same time of certaing the reputation of a patriot. Well may the government be alarmed—well may their proprietors of Ireland, and the friends of the protestant link between the two centrics, be alarmed—when they here the whole force of national hunger brought to hear by the catholic episacopacy in favour of repeal, unlet the government continue in the impracticulation of the protestant link between the word providing employment and flood for the Irish. With every year, whether the harvest be good or bad, the number to be provided for will increase; and every year, the difficulty will become greater, till the empire will be rent in twaln by the impossibility of any government feeding the bulk of the people.

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We must be indebted to a contemporary for some further illustrations of the subject. For some time pass we have been looking with corticosity at the accounts of the arrivals from Irchard, knowing that the harvest was early, that work is, and habeen, all through the year fur more abundant than usual in our afficultural districts, and we expected to read as heretofore, of vessels coming into Liver-pool crowded with labourars eager to reap the golden harvase which England offers them, Accounts of the airrivals of fure quantities of provisions of all kinds have been published almost every week. The pigs have come over in wonted abundance, but not the peasants. Wheat and outs bacon and hams, have been imported in greater quantities than usual; but the men and women have legged behind.— In second with the work of the firm of in Irchard, when such extravalinary efforts have been made by the Executive to save a perishing people, heither hayan kers not reapers have come from Irchard. In Scotland at this moment, the harvest is waiting for the sletch, but the ordinary 's shearers' do not make their appearance. Throughout the easter gain-growing counties of England precisally the same complaint is at this moment general, Instead of double the usual numbers, which it was expected the want of Ireland would have the one over is thus explained by our contemporary—

"Those who had tolled in the hay fields of Middlesca and the corn fields of East Lothian in the heat of the harvest, and had thereby obtained the scanty means of subsistence during the winter, found their less adventurous and less industrious neighbours, by the bounty of the government, as well provided for as themselves. The light work and good pay, even when work was performed for the government add, served only to make me dissatisfied with the harder work and snaller customary pay which the biddependent employment of Ireland could afford. Relief

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name, to increase their dependence, and extend, it possible, poyerty and puperism.—
There are several other rifects of the interference, such as the ruin it has brought on the small tradesmen of Ireland, the losses it has entailed on the farmer, the interruption it has caused to the regular everse of traffic, making it wholly impossible for the trade who looks to profit to come into competition with the Government, losing fifty per cent, on its transactions, which we must reserve for fluture consideration. That hencyclence, when it assumes to guide a nation's caters is not wiselon, has long been exteried. Never had it a more favourable, apoptatusly for proving the claims, and narror was failure more complete. It seemed scarcely possible to aggravate the scale evils of Ireland, yet that has been done by benevolently supplying the people with f od and employment. They have been kept at beine and tsught to rely more than every and others, and loss than even of themselved. Admiration of the heavess is common to the mere-septimentality with the man of science, but it does not take the contract than to loss of the stars, would not be enough the contract than a love of its stars, would not be enoughed. It is not been contracted theory of actropomy, with no other acquirement than a love of its stars, would not be more entirely into most proportion of the prevention of the prevention

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### COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.

MANILA.
(From the New Weekly General October 24) eral Price Current,

REMARKS ON THE MARKET.

Color Goods.—There is little doing in any sort of coloured, or plain goods, and the lew siles that are made, are at here prices.—The Market is well symplied, with shirtlings, but of suimble coloured goods, stocks are moderate.

EXPORTS.

Sugar.—No transactions, and in little demand.

Hemp.—Continues to be purchased at \$3\frac{3}{2}\$ per icul unscrewed.

Rice.—Totally neglected.

Segars.—In the auction that took place on the 20th inst, the following lots only were purchased, and about 3250 boxes of mill, 4as, were left unsold, or having pass the hour.

1400 Boxes of mil 3a, 88-2-0-500 ditto \$8-3-250 do.

286 do.

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388-5-6

1856-3 as
250 Boxes of mil 4a, \$7.1-6.

EXORANGE ON ENGLAND.—Bijls at 6 ms, 4-6, at 30 ds, 4-4. Little demand.
ON CHINA.—\$7,000 at par.
FERDUITS.—Owing to the suspension of purchases of sugar; produced by the July mail, no tonnage is required for Europe, and we understand that 6.4 a £4‡ per ton of sugar is the utmost that tomage is required for Europe, and we understand that £4 a £4 per ton of sugar is the utmost that could be obtained.

EXCHANGE. Co Spain 3 months par. Few buyers.

" London Treasury & Bank bills 30 ds. 4.4. Last Salva.

" Ditto private ditto 6 months 4.6. Last Salva.

" China 30 days at par. Few purchasers.

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CURENT PRICIUM.

Super ... £410 4415 per ton of 20 cw<sup>4</sup>
Coffee ...

Hengya..., 60 , do., 91 do.
Hides ..., 106 10 , do., do.
Sapan wood, 00 , do.

London 24th August via Singapore, per [Rolin Gray. Singapore 31st Soptember for "Durch".

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Status 21st August via Singapore, per [Rolin Gray. Singapore, China 13th September for "Mornid".

The United States is July per Outland.

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